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APPENDIX "C"

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

1. The Joint Intelligence Committee has, since 1943, been producing encyclopedic studies of foreign countries and areas known as the Joint Army-Navy Intelligence Studies (JANIS). There is a continued need for studies similar to these for staff planning, and it is considered that this type of studies would be particularly valuable in the event of another national emergency.

2. Some of the agencies now contributing to the production of JANIS are not represented on the Joint Intelligence Committee. Moreover, similar information to that contained in JANIS is now being published by individual agencies. It is believed that a comprehensive publication by the Central Intelligence Group might be used to supersede the JANIS studies to the common benefit of all governmental agencies.

3. It is requested, therefore, that the Central Intelligence Group consider the publication of studies which may serve in place of the present JANIS, and that the Joint Chiefs of Staff be advised so that they may arrange for the discontinuance of the publication of JANIS.

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